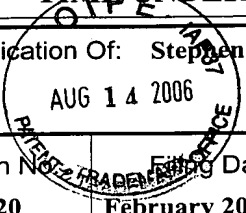


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COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity)					Docket No. 6987-90555	
In Re Application Of: Stephen B. Siegel						
						
Application No. 10/789,020	Filing Date February 20, 2004	Examiner Marianne L. Padgett	Customer No. 24628	Group Art Unit 1762	Confirmation No. 7154	
Invention: UV CURING FOR INK JET PRINTERS						
<u>COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u> This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>March 17, 2006</u> in the above-identified application. <i style="margin-left: 150px;">Date</i> The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired): <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: flex-start;"> <input type="checkbox"/> One month <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Two months <input type="checkbox"/> Three months <input type="checkbox"/> Four months <input type="checkbox"/> Five months </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 10px;"> <div style="text-align: center;"> from: <u>June 17, 2006</u> <i>Date</i> </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> until: <u>August 17, 2006</u> <i>Date</i> </div> </div> <p style="margin-top: 20px;">Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.</p> <p style="margin-top: 20px;">The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:</p>						
CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	
TOTAL CLAIMS	24 -	20 =	4	x \$25.00	\$100.00	
INDEP. CLAIMS	2 -	3 =	0	x \$100.00	\$0.00	
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$100.00	
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$225.00	
TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME					\$325.00	
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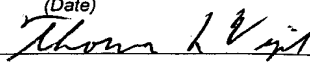
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